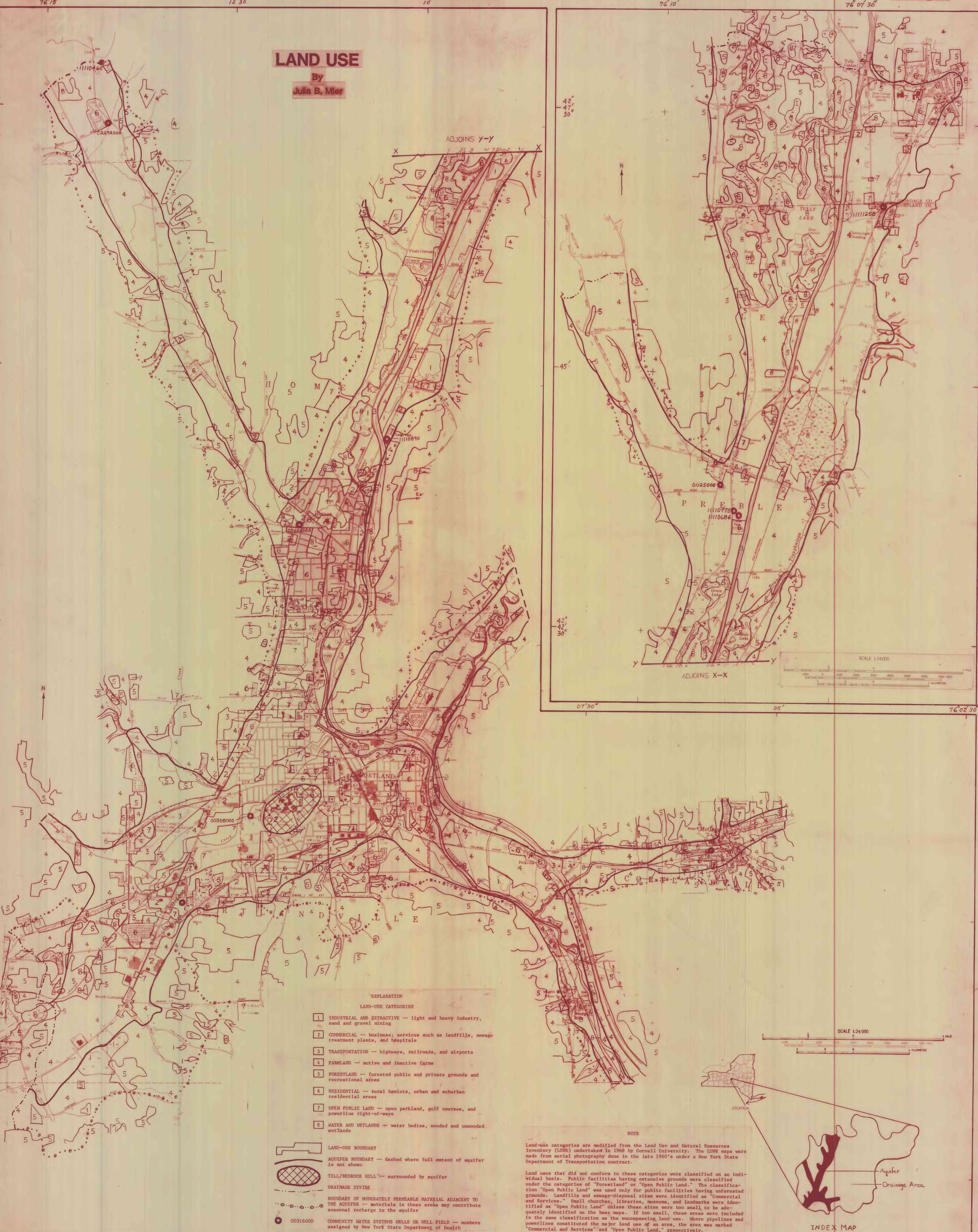


## LAND USE

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### EXPLANATION

#### LAND-USE CATEGORIES

- 1 INDUSTRIAL AND EXTRACTIVE — light and heavy industry, sand and gravel mining
- 2 COMMERCIAL — business; services such as landfills, sewage treatment plants, and hospitals
- 3 TRANSPORTATION — highways, railroads, and airports
- 4 FARMLAND — active and inactive farms
- 5 FORESTLAND — forested public and private grounds and recreational areas
- 6 RESIDENTIAL — rural hamlets, urban and suburban residential areas
- 7 OPEN PUBLIC LAND — open parkland, golf courses, and powerline right-of-ways
- 8 WATER AND WETLANDS — water bodies, wooded and unwooded wetlands

#### LAND-USE BOUNDARY

AQUIFER BOUNDARY — dashed where full extent of aquifer is not shown

TILL/BEDROCK HILL — surrounded by aquifer

#### DRAINAGE DIVIDE

BOUNDARY OF MODERATELY PERMEABLE MATERIAL ADJACENT TO THE AQUIFER — materials in these areas may contribute seasonal recharge to the aquifer

COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEMS WELLS OR WELL FIELD — numbers assigned by New York State Department of Health

### NOTE

Land-use categories are modified from the Land Use and Natural Resources Inventory (LUNRI) undertaken in 1968 by Cornell University. The LUNRI maps were made from aerial photography done in the late 1960's under a New York State Department of Transportation contract.

Land uses that did not conform to these categories were classified on an individual basis. Public facilities having extensive grounds were classified under the categories of "Forestland" or "Open Public Land." The classification "Open Public Land" was used only for public facilities having unforested grounds. Landfills and sewage-disposal sites were identified as "Commercial and Services." Small churches, libraries, museums, and landmarks were identified as "Open Public Land" unless these sites were too small to be adequately identified on the base maps. If too small, these areas were included in the same classification as the encompassing land use. Where pipelines and powerlines constituted the major land use of an area, the area was marked "Commercial and Services" and "Open Public Land," respectively.

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